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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated October 18, 2007, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire January 18, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests the examiner to reconsider his rejection for the reason set forth hereinbelow.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 2 of this paper.